# **Options for Internet Access**

# Everyoneon.org - https://www.everyoneon.org/

EveryoneOn is a national nonprofit that creates social and economic opportunities by connecting everyone to the internet. Since 2012, EveryoneOn has facilitated access to affordable technology solutions--in-home internet service, desktops and laptops--and free digital literacy training through our offer locator tool, cross-sector partnerships, and local programming efforts. We work closely with schools, public housing communities, and other diverse organizations to facilitate internet adoption.

## Comcast

In response, please be advised that Comcast has increased the speeds of its <u>Internet Essentials</u> home internet service from 15/2 Mbps to 25/3 Mbps. Additionally, households who enroll now will be eligible for 60 days of complimentary service. The formal announcement is attached for your reference and is also <u>available here</u>. As a reminder, Internet Essentials provides a \$9.95 per month home internet service exclusively to low-income households.

Update: Comcast announced late Friday, 3/13/2020 that it is suspending enforcement of its data cap and overage fees for 60 days during the coronavirus pandemic.

Comcast is also making its Xfinity Wi-Fi hotspots free for anyone to use. Millions of the hotspots are scattered throughout the country; you can find hotspot locations here.

## Charter

Charter will offer free Spectrum broadband and Wi-Fi access for 60 days to households with K-12 and/or college students who do not already have a Spectrum broadband subscription at any service level up to 100 Mbps. To enroll call 1-844-488-8395. Installation fees will be waived for new student households.

- Charter will partner with school districts to ensure local communities are aware of these tools to help students learn remotely.
- For eligible low-income households without school-aged children, Charter continues to offer Spectrum Internet Assist, a low-cost broadband program delivering speeds of 30 Mbps
- Charter will open its Wi-Fi hotspots across our footprint for public use

# Access from AT&T

- Up to \$10 per month (plus taxes)
- 10 Mbps
- No term commitment
- No deposit
- No installation fee
- In-home Wi-Fi modem included

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# • Find out if Access from AT&T is in your area: Click here.

#### **Frontier Fundamental Internet Service**

- \$19.99 per month (plus taxes), includes \$14.99 for service and \$5 router charge
- Speeds range depending on type of service
- No term commitment
- No installation fee

#### Find out if Frontier Fundamental Internet is in your area: Click here.

# **Spectrum Internet Assist**

- \$14.99 a month (plus taxes)
- \$5 more per month for in-home WiFi
- 30 Mbps
- No term commitment
- Modem included

#### Find out if Spectrum is in your area: Click here.

## T-mobile - 877-634-0256

#### https://www.t-mobile.com/news/t-mobile-update-on-covid-19-response

The benefits of EmpowerED 2.0.

- Participating schools can receive up to \$200 per student to put toward mobile internet devices, including hotspots, laptops, and tablets.
- 24-month service agreement required. See full terms
- Sign a two-year contract on a qualifying unlimited plan for \$20/month
- During congestion, the small fraction of customers using >50GB/mo. may notice reduced speeds until the next bill cycle due to data prioritization. Video typically streams on smartphone/tablet at 480p. Unlimited on our network.
- Reliable service and support.
- Count on planning, implementation, deployment support, and content filtering to help prevent access to inappropriate content.

## Sprint - Details on their provisioning is here